

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q77456

Yukio SUDO

Appln. No.: 10/673,488

Group Art Unit: 1651

Confirmation No.: 1526

Examiner: Nelson C. Yang

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For: MICROREACTOR

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This responds to the Restriction and Election of Species Requirement dated July 5, 2006 in the above-identified application.

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1 and 3-15, for examination. This election is made without traverse.

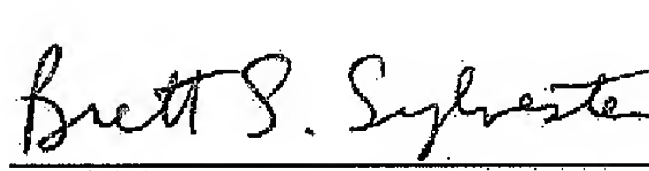
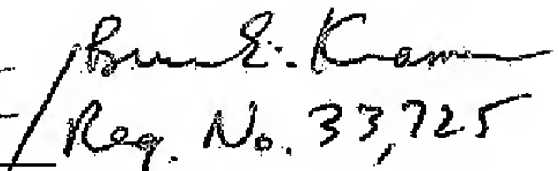
In response to the Election of Species Requirement, Applicant elects the species antibody-ligand (drawn to claim 6), without traverse. All the claims other than claims 7-13 are readable on the elected species.

Applicant submits that if any of the elected claims is found to be allowable, claims dependent therefrom should similarly be considered allowable in the same application.

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